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DWR and State Water Board Announce Release of Prop 50
Integrated Regional Water Management Grant Program Draft Step 2
Proposal Solicitation Package
Two Public Meetings Scheduled

SACRAMENTO –The Department of Water Resources (DWR) and the State Water Resources Control Board have issued the Draft Step 2 Proposal Solicitation Package (PSP) for the Proposition 50, Chapter 8 Integrated Regional Water Management Grant Program. The Draft Step 2 PSP can be found on the following web sites:

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/funding/irwmgp/ http://www.grantsloans.water.ca.gov/grants/integregio.cfm

The Draft Step 2 PSP contains the detailed scoring criteria and procedures for submitting Step 2 applications for grant funding. Submittal of a Step 2 proposal will be by invitation only.

Two public meetings to answer questions on the Draft Step 2 PSP and to accept comments will

be held as follows:

## July 28, 2005 – 1:30 p.m.

California Environmental Protection Building 1001 I Street, 2nd Floor, Coastal Hearing Room Sacramento, CA 95814

## August 4, 2005 – 10 a.m.

Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board 320 West 4th Street, Suite 200 Los Angeles, CA 90013

The July 28 meeting will be web broadcast for Internet access at:

<u>http://www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast</u>. During the broadcast, listeners may e-mail comments or questions to: <u>dfa\_grants@waterboards.ca.gov</u>. It is not necessary to register to attend these meetings.

All public comment on the Draft Step 2 PSP must be received by 5 p.m., August 19, 2005. E-mail comments are preferred and such comments must be submitted as an MS Word compatible e-mail attachment. Please send or e-mail to the address below:

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For more information on the Draft Step 2 PSP and public meetings, contact Tracie Billington, DWR, at (916) 651-9226 or Scott Couch, State Water Resources Control Board, at (916) 341-5658.

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